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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
March 10, 2020**

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## **Recent Crime Summary**

**March 10, 2020**

**\*\*Note: additional incidents may have occurred, and the reports have not yet been received\*\*  
\*\*Notable arrests for crime trends will be provided via a press release\*\***

# Thefts From Vehicles Summary: 02/23/20 to 02/29/20

***MCP urges all residents to take a role in preventing this type of crime by removing valuables from vehicles and locking all doors.***

## **1<sup>st</sup> District**

### A2 Beat:

- Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/21 and 02/28. Affected streets included Besley Court, Crookston Lane, and Twinbrook Parkway. Force; property and vehicle parts were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

### B1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 8200 block of Jeb Stuart Road between approximately 5:30 p.m. on 02/24 and 7:40 a.m. on 02/25. No force; money and property were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

## **2<sup>nd</sup> District**

### D1 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/23 and 02/25. Affected streets included Daniel Road, Bradley Lane, Colston Drive, Washington Avenue, and Derby Ridge Lane. No force; money and property were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

### D2 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between approximately 12:40 p.m. on 02/23 and 9:00 a.m. on 02/24. One theft occurred in the 7400 block of Arlington Road and one theft occurred in the 2700 block of Daniel Road. Force was reported in one event; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

D3 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between approximately 10:30 a.m. on 02/28 and 2:45 p.m. on 02/29. Affected streets included Meadowneck Court, Pratt Place, Meredith Avenue, and Capitol View Avenue. No force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

E1 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/23 and 02/25. One theft occurred in the 4500 block of Willard Avenue and one theft occurred in the 4400 block of Boxwood Road. Force was reported in one event; money and property were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

**3<sup>rd</sup> District**

G1 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/20 and 02/27. Affected streets included Ellsworth Drive, Bonifant Street, Thayer Avenue, and Philadelphia Avenue. Force was reported in two events; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

G2 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between approximately 2:00 p.m. on 02/26 and 2:15 p.m. on 02/27. Affected streets included Highland Drive, Russell Road, Pinecrest Circle, Woodland Drive, and White Oak Drive. No force; money and property were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

H1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 8800 block of Garland Avenue between approximately 12:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. on 02/23. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

I1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 1500 block of November Circle between approximately 9:30 p.m. on 02/25 and 8:00 a.m. on 02/26. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

I2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 200 block of Ironwood Manor Drive between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 02/23 and 9:30 a.m. on 02/24. Force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

**4<sup>th</sup> District**

J1 Beat:

- Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/23 and 02/26. Affected streets included Hugo Circle, Hutchinson Lane, Brandon Green Drive, and Coachlamp Lane. No force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

J2 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/20 and 02/25. One theft occurred in the 18200 block of Wickham Road and one theft occurred 15900 block of Sycamore Lane. No force; money and property were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

K1 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/26 and 02/28. Affected Tremayne Terrace, Dunsinane Court, Twin Valley Lane, and Georgia Avenue. No force; money and property were taken.

Description of suspects seen at the Twin Valley Lane theft:

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown**

K2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 12400 block of Dalewood Drive at approximately 6:38 a.m. on 02/29. No force; property was taken. The suspect was arrested.

**Arrested: John Peay, age 53; of Silver Spring**

L1 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between approximately 10:30 p.m. on 02/23 and 8:30 a.m. on 02/24. Force was reported in one event; vehicle parts were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

L2 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/22 and 02/27. Affected streets included Dunkirk Drive, Amherst Avenue, Huntley Place, Schoolhouse Circle, and Gridley Lane. No force; money and property were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

**5<sup>th</sup> District**

M1 Beat:

- Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/26 and 02/28. Affected streets included Apple Harvest Circle, Eton Manor Drive, Shakespeare Drive, and Drumcastle Court. No force; money and property were taken.

Description of suspects seen at the Shakespeare Drive theft:

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown**

N2 Beat:

- An **attempted theft from vehicle** occurred in the 13300 block of Dovedale Way between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 02/22 and 11:30 a.m. on 02/23.

**No suspect(s) information available**

**6<sup>th</sup> District**

R2 Beat:

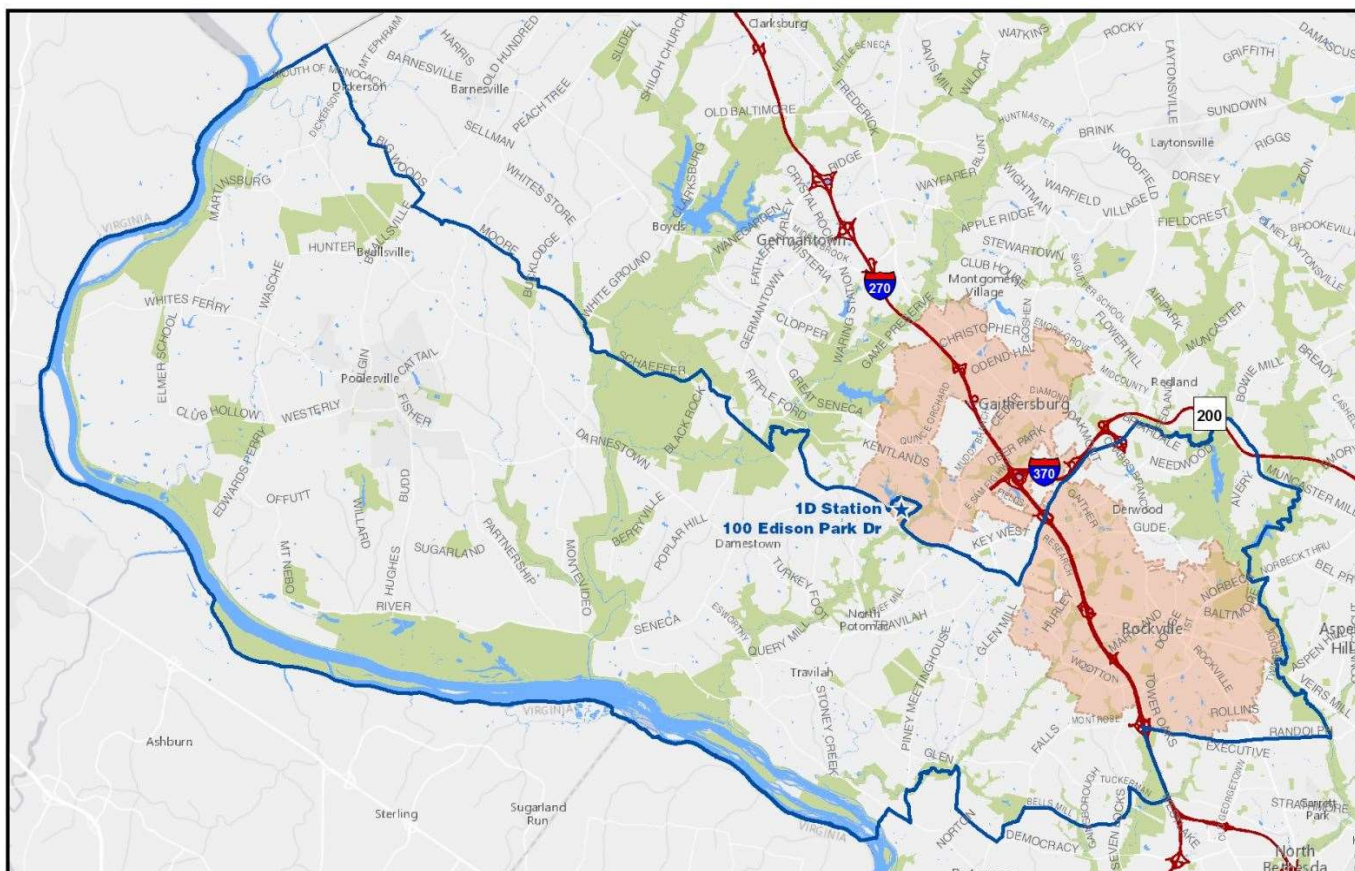
- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 02/25 and 6:30 a.m. on 02/26. Affected streets included Wayridge Drive, Stedwick Road, and Trolley Crossing Court. Force was reported in two events; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

R3 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/24 and 02/28. One theft occurred in the 19600 block of Kildonan Drive and one theft occurred in the 8000 block of Snouffer School Road. No force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**



# 1st DISTRICT *ROCKVILLE*

## MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

Monday, September 14, 2015 6:04:07 PM  
MCPD / IMTD / GIS / J. Enos  
Gaithersburg, MD

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## 02/23/20 to 02/29/20

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**Note: Thefts from vehicles listed in separate summary.**

### A1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A3 Beat:

- An **attempted commercial burglary** occurred at *Exxon* gas station located at 15211 Frederick Road between approximately 12:05 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. on 02/29.

**No suspect(s) information available**

A4 Beat:

- An **attempted home invasion robbery** occurred in the 7200 block of Titonka Way shortly before 1:37 p.m. on 02/28.

For more information, please visit: <http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/03/02/detectives-investigate-attempted-home-invasion-robbery-in-derwood-area/>

B1 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
  - In the 12200 block of Devilwood Drive between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 02/24 and 7:45 a.m. on 02/25. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 2300 block of Stratton Drive between approximately 1:00 p.m. on 02/24 and 12:10 p.m. on 02/25. Unknown entry; the victim reported leaving the vehicle key inside.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age 20-29**

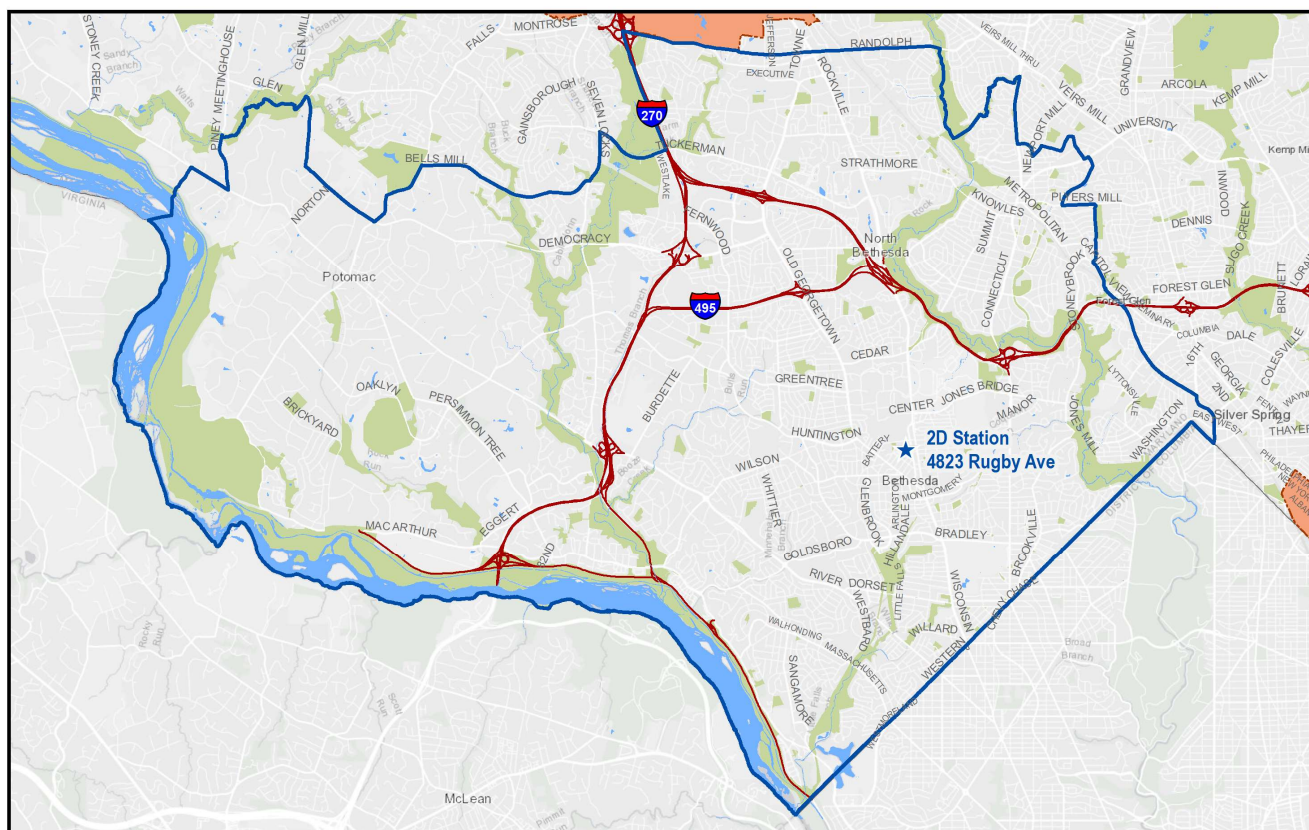
B2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.





## 2nd DISTRICT *BETHESDA*

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Current as of: 5/22/2018  
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### **D1 Beat:**

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D2 Beat:

- An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 7700 block of Wisconsin Avenue in the early morning hours of 02/26.

**No suspect(s) information available**

D3 Beat:

- A **commercial burglary** occurred at the *Kensington Pharmacy* located at 3737 University Boulevard West in the early morning hours of 02/28. Forced entry; money and medications were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

D4 Beat:

- A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the area of Woodglen Drive and Security Lane at approximately 8:33 p.m. on 02/26. The suspect took property from the adult female victim.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: Male, no further description**

- A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Quincy's South Bar & Grille* located at 11401 Woodglen Drive at approximately 6:39 a.m. on 02/29. No signs of forced entry; property was taken. The suspect was arrested.

**Arrested: Byron Johns, age 25; of North Potomac**

E1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

E2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

E3 Beat:

- A **commercial robbery** occurred at the *Sunoco* gas station located at 6060 Montrose Road at approximately 6:45 p.m. on 02/29. One suspect stole merchandise.

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown**

E4 Beat:

- An **attempted residential burglary** and **attempted theft from vehicle** occurred at the same residence in the 7500 block of River Falls Drive in the early morning hours of 02/23.

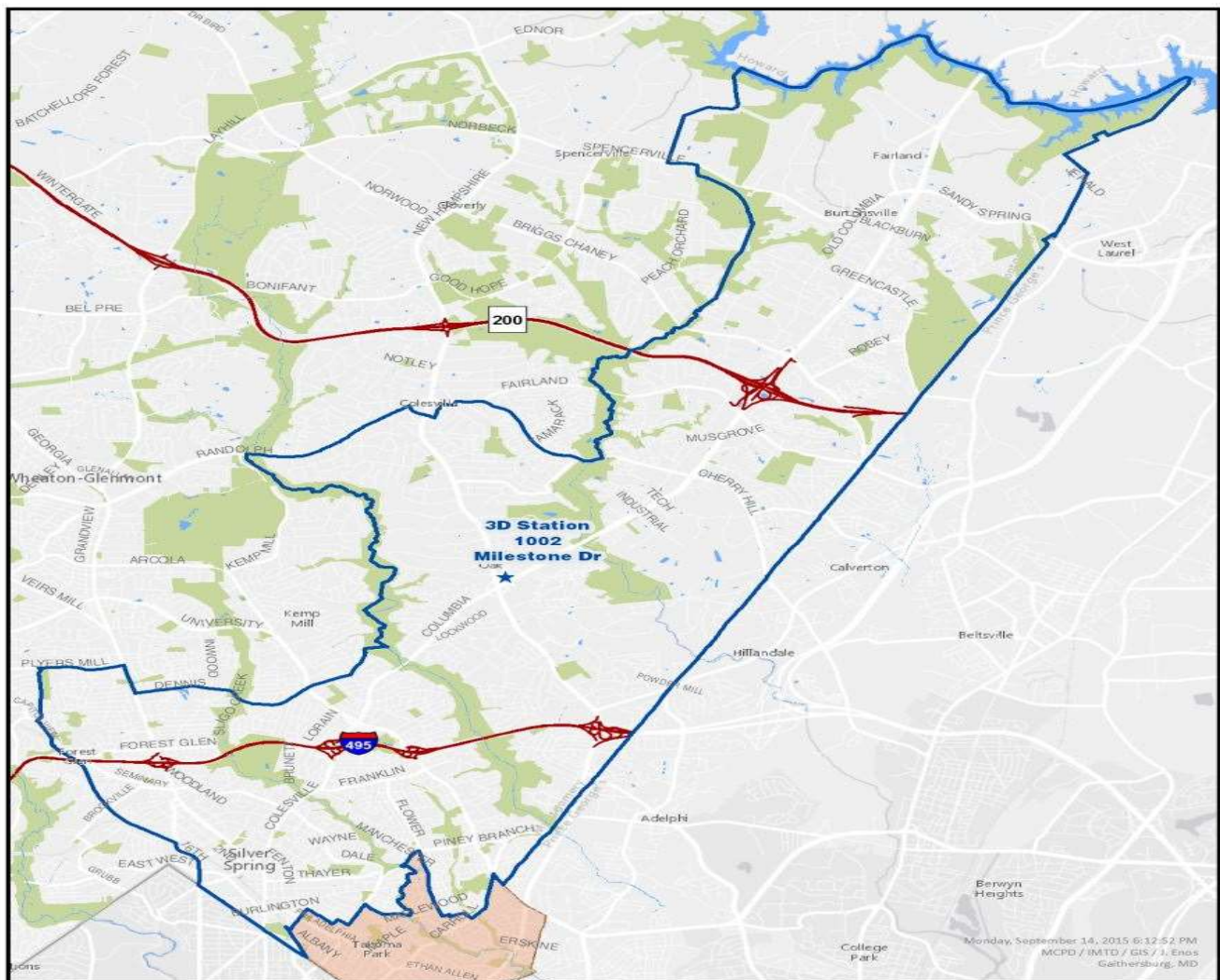
**Victim/Witness described suspect as: Male, no further description**

- A **residential burglary** and two **attempted thefts from vehicles** occurred at the same residence in the 8500 block of Brickyard Road between approximately 12:30 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. on 02/23. No signs of forced entry, a door to the house and both vehicles were reported to have been left unlocked; money and property were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **residential burglary** and four **attempted thefts from vehicles** occurred at the same residence in the 8000 block of Horseshoe Lane at approximately 5:22 a.m. on 02/23. No signs of forced entry, a door to the house and the vehicles were reported to have been left unlocked; property was taken.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: Male, no further description**



## **3rd DIST. SILVER SPRING**

### **MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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## 02/23/20 to 02/29/20

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G1 Beat:

- A **dirt bike theft** occurred in the 7500 block of Blair Road in the early morning hours of 02/23.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Lucy Ethiopian Restaurant* located at 8301 Georgia Avenue at approximately 6:40 a.m. on 02/26. Forced entry; property was taken.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown**

- An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the area of Wayne Avenue and Fenton Street between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 02/28 and 1:00 p.m. on 02/29.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 8100 block of Fenton Street in the early morning hours of 02/29. The suspects assaulted the adult male victim and took his property.

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: 10 H/Ms, ages unknown**

- An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 7900 block of Georgia Avenue at approximately 11:58 p.m. on 02/29. The suspect displayed a weapon.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown**

G2 Beat:

- A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 8900 block of Colesville Road at approximately 4:00 p.m. on 02/27. The suspect assaulted the juvenile male victim and took his property.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown**

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 10200 block of Duvawn Place at approximately 8:23 p.m. on 02/27. Unknown entry; the keys were reported to have been left in the ignition.

**No suspect(s) information available**

H1 Beat:

- A **residential burglary** of a storage unit occurred in the 1000 block of Kennebec Avenue in the early morning hours of 02/23. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- An **aggravated assault** and **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 1000 block of Ruatan Street in the early morning hours of 02/25. Force; property was taken. One suspect displayed a weapon when he saw the adult male victim watching them.

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages 25-30**

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 900 block of Daleview Drive at approximately 1:40 p.m. on 02/29. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running with the key in the ignition.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/F, age 30-39**

H2 Beat:

- An **attempted residential burglary** occurred in the 11300 block of Baroque Road between approximately 7:00 a.m. on 02/18 and 2:18 p.m. on 02/25.

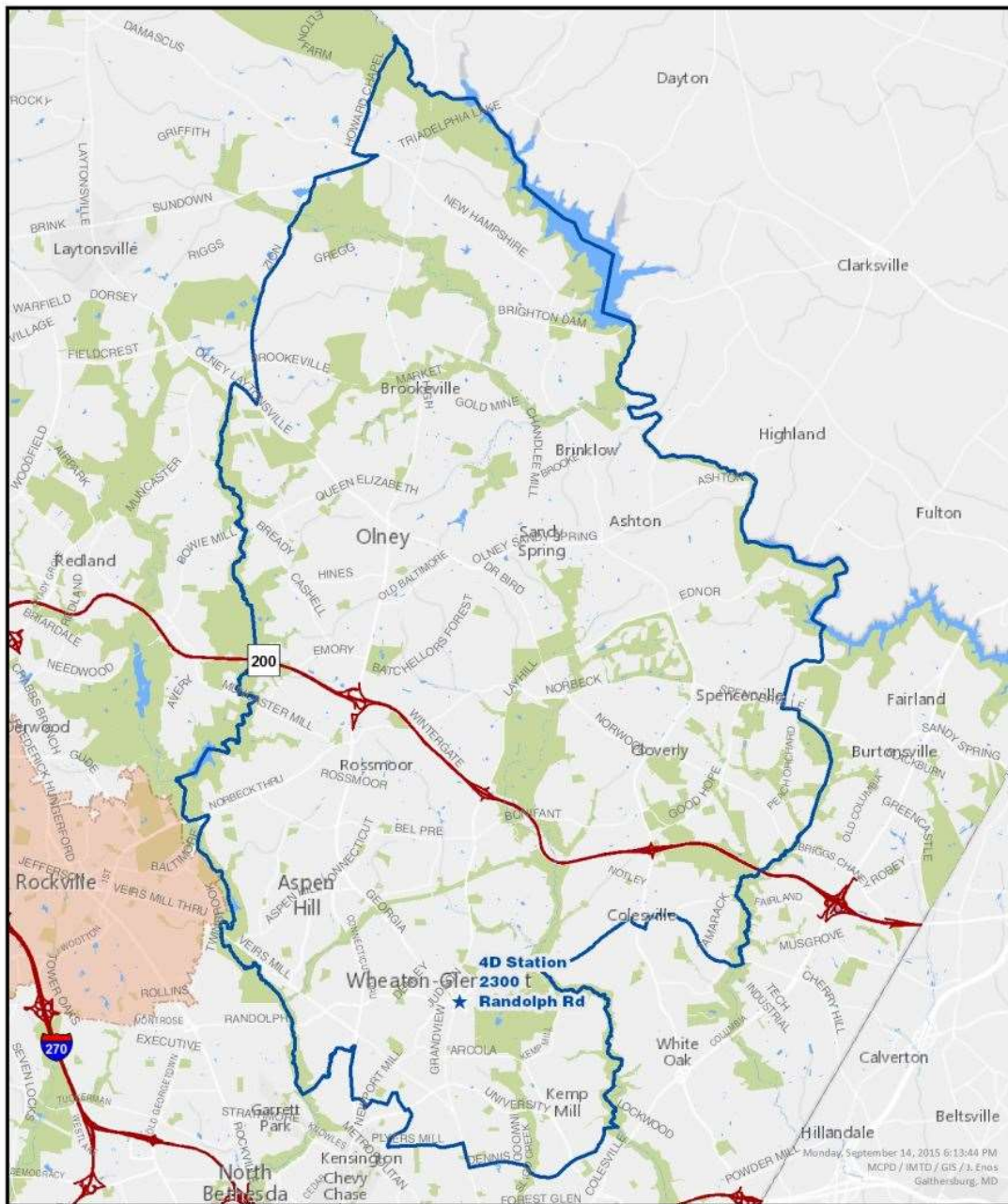
**No suspect(s) information available**

I1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

I2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.



## 4th DISTRICT *WHEATON*

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02/23/20 to 02/29/20

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**J1 Beat:**

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 900 block of Copley Lane between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 02/25 and 7:00 a.m. on 02/26. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key inside. The vehicle was recovered on 02/26.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- An **attempted residential burglary** occurred in the 1700 block of Shilling Lane at approximately 7:00 p.m. on 02/28.

**No suspect(s) information available**

**J2 Beat:**

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

**K1 Beat:**

- Two **residential burglaries** occurred in the 2300 block of Wyeth Street:
  - Between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 02/24 and 6:26 a.m. on 02/26. Forced entry; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- Between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 02/24 and 6:26 a.m. on 02/26. Forced entry; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- An **armed robbery** occurred in the 14100 block of Whispering Pines Court at approximately 6:50 p.m. on 02/26. One suspect displayed a weapon. The suspects took property from one of the two juvenile male victims.

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, age 18  
5-6 B/Ms, ages unknown**

**K2 Beat:**

- **Residential burglary** occurred in the following areas:

- In the 12200 block of Middle Road between approximately 1:00 p.m. on 02/22 and 8:00 a.m. on 02/23. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: Male, no further description**

- In the 2700 block of Terrapin Road in the early morning hours of 02/28. Forced entry; nothing was taken. The suspect was arrested.

**Arrested: Traon Bynum, age 28; of Washington, D.C.**

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 12400 block of Atherton Drive between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 02/26 and 3:00 p.m. on 02/27. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key inside.

**No suspect(s) information available**

**L1 Beat:**

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 12500 block of Arbor View Terrace between approximately 12:00 a.m. on 02/20 and 3:00 a.m. on 02/23. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 02/23.

**No suspect(s) information available**

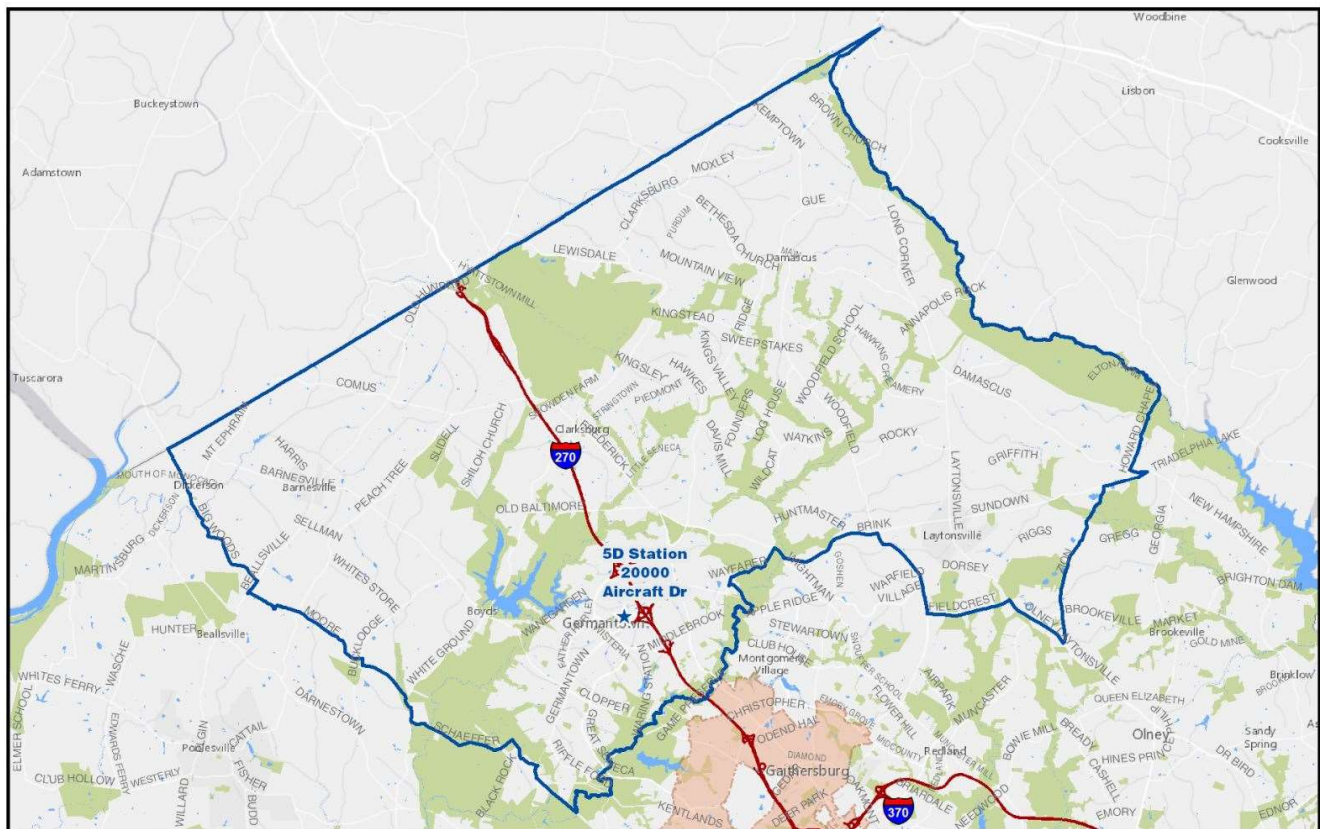
- An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 12100 block of Georgia Avenue at approximately 3:30 p.m. on 02/25. The suspect displayed a weapon. The suspect was arrested.

**Arrested: Jamal Williams, age 26; of an unconfirmed address**

**L2 Beat:**

- An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 11300 block of Georgia Avenue in the early morning hours of 02/29. The suspect displayed a weapon and assaulted the adult male victim.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown**



## 5th DISTRICT GERMANTOWN

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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### M1 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:

- In the 11600 block of Queen Nicole Terrace between approximately 9:35 p.m. on 02/26 and 5:00 a.m. on 02/27. Unknown entry; the key was reported to have been left inside. The vehicle was recovered on 03/02.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 20300 block of Cabana Drive between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 02/27 and 9:30 a.m. on 02/28. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 03/02. The suspect was arrested.

**Arrested: Ashwin Smith, age 19; of Germantown**

**M2 Beat:**

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

**M3 Beat:**

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

**N1 Beat:**

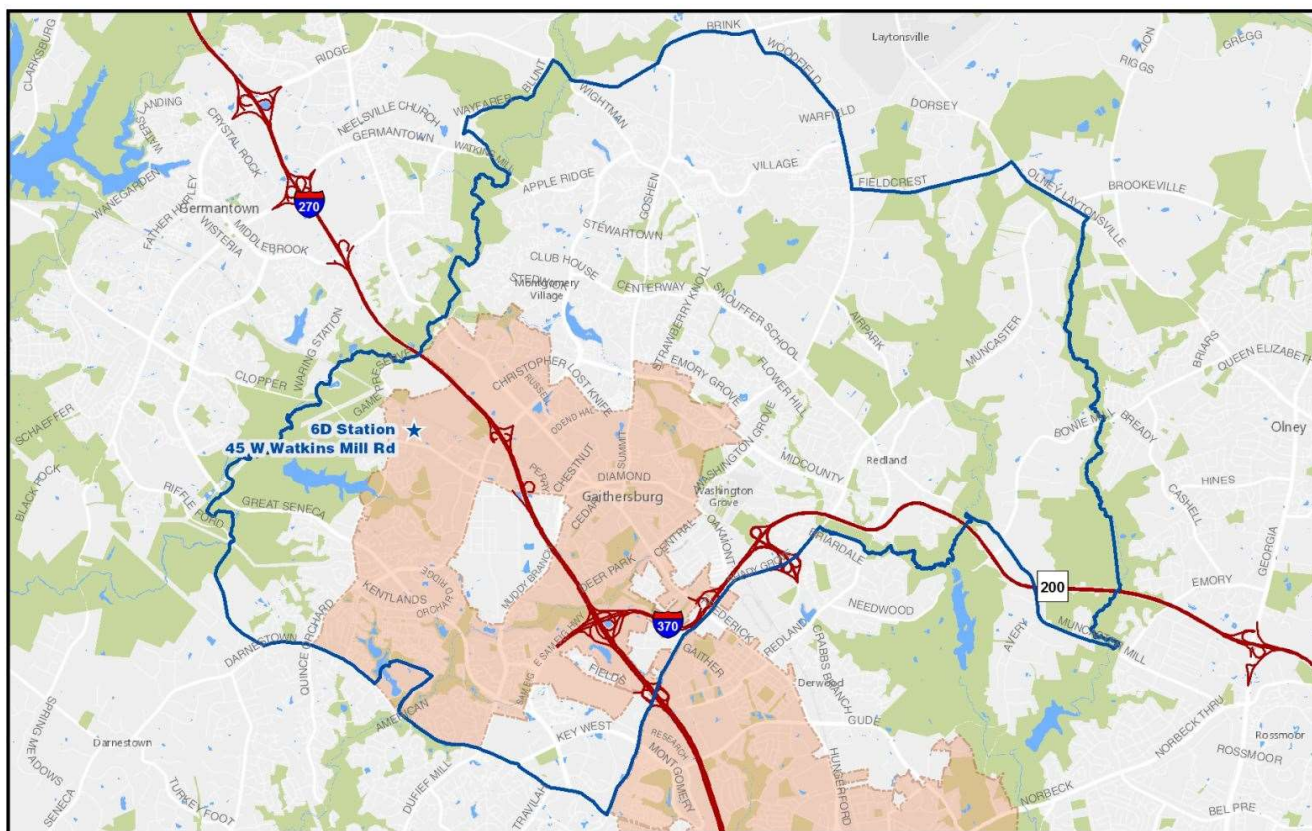
- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

**N2 Beat:**

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

**N3 Beat:**

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.



## 6th DIST. *MONTGOMERY VILL.*

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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#### P1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

P2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

P3 Beat:

- An **attempted commercial burglary** occurred at *Dulcinea Bar & Grill* located at 9103 Gaither Road between approximately 10:25 p.m. on 02/28 and 9:00 a.m. on 02/29. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Vape Social* located at 16521 South Frederick Avenue in the early morning hours of 02/29. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: W/M, age unknown**

R1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

R2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

R3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

**###**